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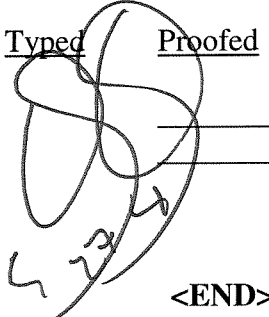
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2005-07 Budget Bill Statutory Language Drafting Request

- Topic: Offices Maintained by ETF
- Tracking Code: (Assigned by Government Operations Team) BB0065
- SBO team: State Government Operations
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- Agency acronym: ETF
- Agency number: 515

**Department of Employee Trust Funds Drafting Request
to the Legislative Reference Bureau**

☒ Draft for Possible 05-07 Budget Bill Introduction

☐ Draft for Possible Introduction as Department-sponsored or Independent Bill

Subject: Offices maintained by the Department of Employee Trust Funds

Request Date:

Reviewed by: Pam Henning

Contact Name in Agency for Drafter (phone no): Jon Kranz (267-0908)

Brief Description of Intent:

This request deletes the reference under s. 15.16 (2) and s. 40.03 (2) that requires the Department of Employee Trust Funds (ETF) to maintain a branch office in Milwaukee. This request will provide ETF with the flexibility to provide staff efficiencies, more distributed public information and counseling, and relocation of essential staff functions.

The statutory requirement for a Milwaukee Office was put in place during the development of legislation when the three separate systems, the Wisconsin Retirement Fund, the State Teachers Retirement System and the Milwaukee Teachers Retirement System, were merged in 1981 as the Wisconsin Retirement System. Over the years, the Department has taken various steps to consolidate functions of the Milwaukee and Madison offices for efficiencies, including creating a toll-free telephone system in which all calls are handled by the Call Center in Madison and imaging all paper files for simultaneous desk top access by all Department employees.

In addition, the Department has taken other steps to provide more information and counseling opportunities to participants throughout the entire state with the use of field presentations and group counseling. The flexibility to use resources in other locations in the state would enable the Department to manage our resources more efficiently as well as meet the needs of members who live outside Madison and Milwaukee.

Related Statutory Citations

Delete Wis. Stats. §§ 15.16 (2) and 40.03 (2).



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2005 BILL

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1 AN ACT *to repeal* 15.16 (2); and *to amend* 40.03 (2) (b) of the statutes; relating
2 to: ~~offices of the Department of Employee Trust Funds~~ *the budget* ✓

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RETIREMENT
AND GROUP
INSURANCE

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

DETF

Current law requires ~~the Department of Employee Trust Funds~~ to maintain an office in Milwaukee. This bill eliminates this requirement.

For further information see the *state* fiscal estimate, which will be printed as an appendix to this bill.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

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8 ~~an office in Milwaukee.~~

9 (END)



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FOR 2005-07 BUDGET -- NOT READY FOR INTRODUCTION

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